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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION

Sir:

The following is written in response to the Official Action dated February 9, 2006. Please, kindly reconsider the application in light of the arguments presented herein.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 2 of this paper.

No extensions are believed necessary for this filing. However, applicant hereby petitions for any necessary extensions or other relief associated with this filing and authorizes the commissioner to charge applicant's representative's charge account 50-0548 for any deficiencies.